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CIA HISTORICAL REVIEW PROGRAM
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TO : SR REP, LINCOLN

FROM: DIRECTOR, CIA

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TO: SLINC CITE: DIR

RYBAT/SUCCESS

1. WE HAVE NOTED THE APPARENT SUCCESS OF THE LEAFLET DROP OPERATION AND ARE INTERESTED TO KNOW ANSWERS TO FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

A. WHAT ARE YOUR PLANS FOR IMMEDIATE AND NEAR TERM FUTURE USE AND/OR DISPOSITION OF PILOTS?

B. WHETHER, AND IF SO HOW MANY, AND WHEN YOU ARE PLANNING OR CONSIDERING ADDITIONAL LEAFLET DROP FLIGHTS. WE SHOULD LIKE TO KNOW ABOUT THIS PRIOR TO ANY FURTHER SUCH FLIGHTS.

2. ALSO, PLEASE ADVISE WHETHER IN LIGHT OF TREND TOWARD INCREASED ROLE FOR AIR OPERATIONS, IT WOULD BE USEFUL FOR LINCOLN STAFF BE BOLSTERED BY ADDITIONAL QUALIFIED AIR OPS OFFICERS. WE HAVE IN MIND POSSIBILITY THAT BRODFROST MAY BE IN FORWARD AREA GOOD PART OF TIME, AND THAT LINC MAY REQUIRE AIR OPS OFFICERS TO BACKSTOP AND REVIEW FOR YOU PROPOSED FIELD OPS.

END OF MESSAGE

Frank G. Wisner

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